(ख) एच०बी०जे० पाइपलाइन की वर्तमान क्षमता 18.2 एम०सी०एम०डी० है। क्षमता को 33.4 एम०सी० एम०डी० तक बढ़ाये जाने का प्रस्ताव है। इस क्षमता की तुलना में 36.35 एम०सी०एम०डी० की सीमा तक की वचनबद्धता पहले ही की जा चुकी है, जिसके परिणामस्वरूप इस समय उपरोक्त परियोजनाओं के लिए गैस लिंकेज उपलब्ध करा पाना व्यवहार्य नहीं है।

Country's power requirement

3333. DR. YELAMNCHILI SIVAJI: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 211 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 24th November, 1992 and state the country's Power production, installed capacity, proposed plans to achieve the target and by when the same would be achieved?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI KALP NATH RAI) : The installed capacity in the country as on 31.3.1992 was 69070 MW. The energy generation target for 1992-93 has been fixed at 302.7 billion units (BU). During the period April-November, 1992, the actual energy generation was 186.638 billion units. Various measures being taken to improve the generation in the country include commissioning of new generation capacity, Renovation and Modernisation of old units, assistance to Electricity Boards in undertaking plant betterment programme, supply of requisite quantity and quality of coal, training of operation and maintenance personnel and strengthening of Transmission and Distribution System.

Early Commissioning of New Power Projects

3334. SHRI RAMSINH RATHWA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the work relating to early commissioning of new power projects is not satisfactory;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what are the State-wise details of the work performed during the last three years for early commissioning of new power generation capacity?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI KALP NATH RAI) : (a) and (b) The implementation of power projects in the Central Sector has been fairly satisfactory. However, there have been delays in the implementation of power projects in the State Sector. The delays have been on account of problems relating to various inputs and clearances such as fuel availability, transportation of coal, gas, port facilities, water availability, clearnace from forest and environmental angle etc.

(c) The overall target and achievement of capacity addition in the country during the last 3 years, 1989-92 is given in the statement attached.

Statement

(in MW)

Sl. No.	Name of the State	1989-90	1990-91	1991-92	Total
1.	Delhi	67.5	—	—	67.5
2.	Haryana	8.0	—	—	8.0
3.	Jammu & Kashmir	50	—	—	50
4.	Punjab	—	—	240	240
5.	Rajasthan	492	210	10	712
6.	Uttar Pradesh	1048	102	664	1814